



DAK  
JWW

PTO/SB/21 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b>  (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)	Application Number	10/759,775	
	Filing Date	January 16, 2004	
	First Named Inventor	KULAS	
	Art Unit	3643	
	Examiner Name	Jeffrey L. GELLNER	
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	6	Attorney Docket Number	CJK-14

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement  <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Table on CD	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to TC <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): Postcard, Statement, Check for \$1145.00
<div>Remarks</div>		

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT			
Firm Name			
Signature			
Printed name	Charles J. Kulas		
Date	August 25, 2006	Reg. No.	35,809

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING			
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below:			
Signature			
Typed or printed name	Charles J. Kulas	Date	August 25, 2006

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Maria Masai Kulas  
Serial No. : 10/759,775  
Filed : January 16, 2006  
Title : PLANT AND FLOWER WIND SCREEN INCLUDING ATTACHED STAKES

Art Unit : 3643  
Examiner : Jeffrey L. Gellner

**MAIL STOP PETITIONS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION TO REVIVE APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.137(b)

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR §1.137(b) to revive the above application, which was abandoned on August 7, 2006 for failure to properly respond to Final Office Action mailed December 29, 2005.

Enclosed is a check for \$1,145 in payment of the petition fee by a small entity as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(m) of \$750.00 and the remainder of fees due for the Request for Continued Examination filed June 19, 2006 in the amount of \$395.00. Check number 2503 in the amount of \$285.00 was received and deposited by the PTO on June 26, 2006. The total fees for the RCE were \$680.00; the application became abandoned because the entire fee was not received. With this petition, applicant submits that all fees have now been paid and requests that the Request for Continued Examination filed June 19, 2006 proceed.

Applicant submits that the entire period of delay was unintentional.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Charles J. Kulas  
Reg. No. 35,809

Date: August 25, 2006

651 Orizaba Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94132  
Telephone: 415-279-5098

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail # EV652795002US on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Mail Stop Petitions, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

August 25, 2006

Date of Deposit

  
Charles J. Kulas

08/30/2006 H010000005 10759775

02 FC:2801

395.00 DP

**PROCESSING FEE**

Under 37 CFR 1.17(m)

**TRANSMITTAL**

(Fees are subject to annual revision)

Send completed form to: Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Application Number	10/759,775
Filing Date	01/16/2004
First Named Inventor	KULAS
Art Unit	3643
Examiner Name	GELLNER
Attorney Docket Number	CJK-14

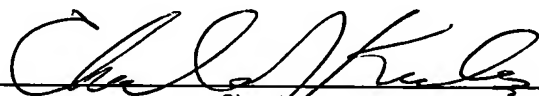
Enclosed is a paper filed under 37 CFR 1.137(b) that requires a processing fee (37 CFR 1.17(m)).  
Payment of \$ 750.00 is enclosed.

This form should be included with the above-mentioned paper and faxed or mailed to the Office using the appropriate Mail Stop, if applicable.

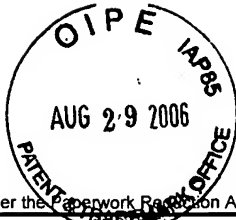
**Payment of Fees**

- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(m) ☐ any deficiency of fees and credit of any overpayments  
Enclose a duplicative copy of this form for fee processing.
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$ 750 is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 or equivalent enclosed). Do not provide credit card information on this form.

Processing Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(m): Fee \$750 Fee Code 2453

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature  
Charles J. Kulas  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Typed or printed name

\_\_\_\_\_  
August 25, 2006  
Date  
\_\_\_\_\_  
35,809  
Registration No., if applicable

**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

Docket Number (Optional)

CJK-14

First named inventor: KULAS, Maria Masae

Application No.: 10/759,775

Art Unit: 3643

Filed: 01/16/2004

Examiner: Jeffrey L. Gellner

Title: PLANT AND FLOWER WIND SCREEN INCLUDING ATTACHED STAKES

Attention: Office of Petitions

**Mail Stop Petition**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

FAX (703) 872-9306

NOTE: If information or assistance is needed in completing this form, please contact Petitions  
Information at (703) 305-9282.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the office notice or action plus an extensions of time actually obtained.

**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee - required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

**1. Petition fee**

☒ Small entity-fee \$ 750.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☐ Other than small entity - fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(m))

**2. Reply and/or fee**

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in  
the form of Request for Continued Examination (identify type of reply):

- ☒ has been filed previously on June 19, 2006.  
☐ is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee and publication fee (if applicable) of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

- ☐ has been paid previously on \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ is enclosed herewith.

[Page 1 of 2]

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.137(b). The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.0 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

08/30/2006 H8UTENAL 00000005 10759775 750.00 OP  
01 FC:2453

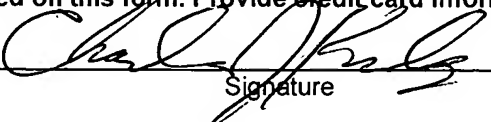
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

## 3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- ☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for a small entity or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D)).]

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

 _____ Signature Charles J. Kulas _____ Typed or printed name 651 Orizaba Avenue _____ Address San Francisco, CA 94132 _____ Address	August 25, 2006 _____ Date 35,809 _____ Registration Number, if applicable 415-279-5098 _____ Telephone Number
--	--


- Enclosures: ☒ Fee Payment
- ☒ Reply
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form
- ☒ Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay
- ☒ Other: Postcard, Fee Transmittal, Transmittal sheet

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION [37 CFR 1.8(a)]

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being:

- ☒ Deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.
- ☐ Transmitted by facsimile on the date shown below to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as (703) 872-9306.

August 25, 2006  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature  
 Charles J. Kulas  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Typed or printed name of person signing certificate